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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

**PATENT**

Application No.: 10/748,370  
Filing Date: December 29, 2003  
First Named Inventor Andrew Nguyen  
Examiner's Name: Anya, Igew U.  
Art Unit: 2825  
Attorney Docket No.: 006601.P031

An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.  
 Charge any fee not covered by any check submitted to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.  
 Applicant(s) hereby request and authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to (1) treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and (2) charge all required fees, including extension of time fees and fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, for any concurrent or future reply to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.  
 Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

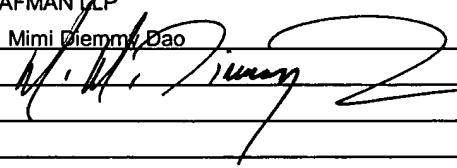
### ATTACHMENTS

Preliminary Amendment  
 Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action  
 Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)  
 Notice of Appeal  
 RCE (Request for Continued Examination)  
 Supplemental Declaration  
 Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)  
 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
 Copies of IDS citations  
 Petition for Extension of Time  
 Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)  
 Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)  
 Certified Copy of Priority Document  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Check(s) #68744 in the amount of \$264.00 (fee for 3 independent claims)  
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
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Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
1001	790	2001	395
1002	350	2002	175
1003	550	2003	275
1004	790	2004	395
1005	160	2005	80

<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
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Utility application filing fee	_____
Design application filing fee	_____
Plant filing fee	_____
Reissue filing fee	_____
Provisional application filing fee	_____

**SUBTOTAL (1) \$00.00**

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

<u>Extra Claims</u>
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<u>Fee from below</u>
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<u>Fee Paid</u>
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Total Claims <u>27</u>	<u>- 27** = 0</u>	<u>X =</u>
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Independent Claims <u>6</u>	<u>- 3** = 3</u>	<u>X = 88.00 = 264.00</u>
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Multiple Dependent

\*\*Or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below.

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
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1202	18	2202	9
1201	88	2201	44
1203	300	2203	150
1204	88	2204	44
1205	18	2205	9

<u>Fee Description</u>
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Claims in excess of 20
Independent claims in excess of 3
Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
**Reissue independent claims over original patent
**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2) \$264.00**

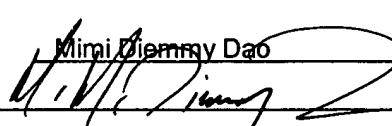
**FEE CALCULATION (continued)**

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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1813	8,800	1813	8,800
1804	920*	1804	920*
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*
1251	110	2251	55
1252	430	2252	215
1253	980	2253	490
1254	1,530	2254	765
1255	2,080	2255	1,040
1401	340	2401	170
1402	340	2402	170
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1503	660	2503	330
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1807	50	1807	50
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1809	790	2809	395
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1808	130	1808	130
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Other fee (specify) _____			
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For: Method And System Of Coating )  
Polymer Solution On Surface Of A Substrate )

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2004, please enter this Amendment and consider the following remarks.

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